

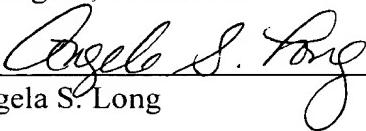
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Mich B. Hein, Andrew C. Hiatt, and John H. Fitchen  
Application No. : 09/005,318  
Filed : January 9, 1998  
For : NOVEL EPITHELIAL TISSUE TARGETING AGENT  
Docket No. : 310098.401C1  
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PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants herewith petition the Assistant Commissioner of Patents under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a one-month extension of time for filing the response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated March 18, 1998, from May 18, 1998 to June 18, 1998. Submitted herewith is a check in the amount of \$1,459, \$55 of which is to cover the cost of the extension.

Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 19-1090. This petition is being submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

Mich B. Hein et al.

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